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Amendments to the Specification:

Page 1, before the first paragraph below the title insert:

-- Background of the Invention:

Field of the Invention:--;

between the first and second paragraphs, insert:

-- Summary of the Invention: --;

Page 2, replace the first full paragraph, with:

-- A refrigerating appliance having an inner chamber enclosed by a heat-insulating housing and a plurality of electrical or electromechanical components, including a coolant circuit for cooling the inner chamber and at least one temperature sensor, and with a control unit for controlling the cooperation of the components, wherein the control unit has a test operating mode for checking the operativeness at least of some of these components, the features of Claim 1 solves this task. Since modern refrigerating appliances frequently use a microprocessor as control unit, it is possible without an appreciable rise in manufacturing costs, in particular in the form of a sub-program for such a microprocessor to implement a test operating mode in addition to the operating mode for normal refrigeration, in which the control unit is capable of carrying out checks on the operativeness of at least some of the components of the refrigerating appliance.--

Page 3, above the second to last paragraph, insert:

-- Brief Description of the Drawings: --.

Page 4, between the first and second paragraphs, insert:

--Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiments:--.